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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING & HAND DELIVERED
CONFIDENTIAL VERSION

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk / Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Frederick Howard v. Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC
Docket No. 2019-97-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing, please find Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's (the "Company") Motion to Dismiss the Complaint in the above-referenced docket. The Company requests that the Commission hold in abeyance the filing deadlines for all parties and the hearing date pending resolution of the motion.

The Company also requests confidential treatment of Exhibits A and B to the motion, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-804(S)(2), as they contain confidential, customer-specific account information.

By copy of this letter we are serving the Office of Regulatory Staff with the confidential version via hand delivery and the Complainant with the same via U.S. Mail. Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Kind regards,

Sam Wellborn

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Enclosures

cc w/enc: Randall Dong, Hearing Examiner (via email)
Frederick Howard (via email and US Mail)
C. Lessie Hammonds, Esquire (via email and hand delivery)
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BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2019-97-E

Frederick Howard,)	
)	
Complainant/Petitioner,)	
)	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
v.)	
)	
Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC,)	
)	
Defendant/Respondent.)	
_____)	

This is to certify that I, Toni C. Hawkins, a paralegal with the law firm of Robinson Gray Stepp & Laffitte, LLC, have this day caused to be served upon the person(s) named below the **Motion to Dismiss on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC** in the foregoing matter by placing a copy of same in the U.S. Mail and/or hand delivery as follows:

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Dated at Columbia, South Carolina this 27th day of March, 2019.

